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CITY OF DUBLIN APPROVES AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL SUPPORT AGREEMENT WITH PARKS RESERVE FORCES TRAINING AREA

DUBLIN, Calif., December 3, 2019 – At tonight's meeting of the Dublin City Council, the City of Dublin entered into an Intergovernmental Support Agreement (IGSA) with the United States Army for the provision of services at Parks Reserve Forces Training Area (Camp Parks) in Dublin.

This first-of-its kind agreement in the San Francisco Bay Area will use city-contracted services from existing City vendors to provide janitorial, pest control, and solid waste services to Camp Parks at a lower cost and better standard of performance than the Army was or could contract for those services on its own. The cost for service, \$775,377.00, will include an administrative fee to cover the City's oversight and management of the vendors. Camp Parks will now receive service from Tri-Valley Janitorial, Advanced Integrated Pest Management, and Amador Valley Industries.

Public-public partnerships are a recent and growing trend in the Department of Defense. First given statutory authority by the National Defense Authorization Act of 2013, these partnerships for shared services using an IGSA are a way for military installations and their neighboring communities to share services for cost savings, cost avoidance, and improved performance.

While the City of Dublin and Camp Parks have collaborated on projects in the past – most notably the Camp Parks History Center – by using Memorandums of Agreement, or MOAs, this is the first IGSA and is a tremendous step forward in codifying the relationship between the two organizations.

Camp Parks, located in central Dublin, currently serves as an academic institution, military intelligence facility, and battlefield simulation center supporting military readiness for the U.S. Army. Camp Parks has been part of the Tri-Valley since 1942, and is an important part of the Dublin community.